PUBLISHED IN GRENADA COUNTY, BY AND FOR GRENADA COUNTY PEOPLE, THUS, THE NAME

The Grenada County Weekly

VOLUME FOUR — GRENADA, GRENADA COUNTY MISS. THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1941 — NUMBER TWENTY-FOUR

Seen, Heard and Told

By The Editor

Very likely, another alderman will be elected shortly to replace the writer who resigned. We suggest that those who are interested in the installation of the Food Stamp Plan here see to it that a man favorable to that plan is elected. That's practical politics.

The county supervisors very naturally are reluctant to sponsor this plan unless and until the city officials agree to bear one-half the recurring expenses. In fact, it was authoritatively stated that the county supervisors would not sponsor the plan unless financial help was forthcoming from the city.

Will Hoffa may get in the hair of some of us sometimes, but he is eternally right when he says that we must "give to get."

We very much appreciate a letter from Mrs. G. A. Hudson, of Kilmichael who states that she, like other mothers of the boys in Camp Blanding, enjoys the comments of Corporal Whitaker. Mrs. Hudson's son sends this newspaper to his mother.

LOST: our Duck Hill correspondent.

We are sincerely sold on the Food Stamp Plan. It will liberate twice as much money on the county as does our premier industry, the hosiery mill. The beauty of this plan is that, upon thirty days notice, the sponsors can cash in and quit. It is a matter of record, however, that once started in a community it has never been discontinued.

We feel a geat personal loss in the death of Mr. Van Williams who often came in and visited us. He was an eternal booster of this newspaper. We feel close to the family for another season: our father, the late Dr. W. H. Whitaker, ushered most of the sons and daughters into the world. One viewing the many fine sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Williams are bound to realize that Van Williams, tho sleeping the eternal sleep, lives on in these children and grandchildren.

Hon. E. C. Neelly, ex-Mayor of Grenada, has been in serious condition this week, and, tho still dangerously ill, was reported Wednesday afternoon to be "slightly better."

The figures "1-41" appearing opposite your name on your copy of the GCW indicate that your subscription expires this month.

In rereading our editorial about Grenada, we wish to add this: GRENADA NEEDS: better cooperation between the city officials and the county officials. Their aims are identical. Without one, the other would perish. Ever since the new city council more or less backed up on the armory proposition—be it a good thing or a bad thing—that the "old" board agreed to help the county on, there has grown up a sort of "gun-shyness" of the supervisors toward the city. The big todo necessary to get a sewer connection from the city for the county court house has not helped matters any.

Mr. E. V. Catoe celebrates his birthday this week and we congratulate him. Mrs. J. B. Perry, Jr., his daughter, following an annual custom, sent him the GCW.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Gibson spent a few days in Mrs. Gibson's home in Mendenhall this week.

Mrs. Thomas Rose III, spent the day in Como with her mother Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Spears Nickle, of Batesville, was the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Marders Tuesday.

NOTICE!

Ladies who are interested in the appearance of the Odd Fellows cemetery, the treasury of the Ladies Cemetery Association is out of funds, and unless funds are available immediately it shall be necessary to discontinue the work.

Please do not wait for a statement or personal letter, there is no money to pay for this week's work.

Those who are interested will please mail check today to Mrs. Waring Tayloe, Line Street.

THREE GOOD COLORED MEN DIE

Within the past week, Death has taken three of Grenada County's best colored citizens: King Anderson, a substantial land owner of eastern Beat Three; John Seals, long time associated with Garner and Sharp, then Sharp Furniture Company of Grenada; and Uncle Harper Brewer, life long resident of the Oxberry community of Beat Five.

All of these colored men enjoyed the respect and esteem of members of their own race and that of members of the white race. Each, in his own sphere of influence, played well his part in life's drama.

Van Wagner Williams, Good Grenada Citizen, Died Sunday

Mr. Van Wagner Williams, life-long citizen of Grenada, died in his home in Grenada Sunday, January 5, 1941, having suffered a second stroke on a visit to his daughter in Jackson during the holidays. Knowing that his end was near, and wishing to die in the home that he had built for his family, he was brought back "home."

He was born in Hernando, Mississippi, on July 30, 1856, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel G. Williams. He was of the family of the famous General Green of Revolutionary fame. His people, originally from Georgia, were pioneer settlers of this then new state. In early childhood, he moved to Grenada county.

His first wife, whom he married in 1879, was Miss Mollie Ladd, who died in 1892. Two of the children of this union, Mrs. Claud Steen, of St. Louis, and Mrs. A. D. Collins, of Grenada, survive.

His second wife was the former Miss Ida Amelia Rhodes, whom he married March 14, 1883. She was the daughter of the late Mr. John Rhodes, also formerly of the State of Georgia. Their home, the Howard place, five miles west of Grenada, was the home of the Williams family for several years. Later, Mr. Williams moved to Grenada and engaged in the mercantile business with the late Mr. Blanton Duncan and "Tobe" Wright. He later operated his own business alone, and, in latter life, was a successful insurance agent.

Mr. Williams has been a useful, industrious and valuable citizen of this community for eighty years. He and his wife reared as fine a bunch of men and women as was ever reared in Grenada. They paid their debts, accumulated a modest competence, and inculcated in their children the sterling old time virtues of thrift and industry. Unlike some parents of today, they took personal charge of the rearing and training of their children, and did not delegate any of these vital responsibilities to nurses, maids and servants. Mr. Williams lived to see every one of his children firmly established in life, most of them with families of their own. Tenacity of purpose was one of the cardinal elements in his make-up, and this tenacity he transmitted to his children—the do or die spirit that made this country great.

Monday afternoon, funeral services were conducted jointly by Rev. Glen Eric Wiley, pastor of the First Baptist Church and Rev. E. R. Henderson, pastor of the Central Baptist Church. A prayer by Mr. Henderson, two songs by a group of ladies, a word of scripture and a prayer by Mr. Wiley constituted the service. Committal services at the grave in Odd Fellows Cemetery followed. The great profusion of flowers and the many friends who came to the services bore mute testimony not only to the esteem in which the deceased was held by the people but also to the great regard that the people have for the sons and daughters of the Williams family.

Active pallbearers were Messrs. Eugene Turnipseed, L. C. Welker, John Pressgrove, H. J. Ray, L. J. Doak, and Fisher Oltenberg.

Honorary pallbearers included Messrs. W. D. Salmon, J. G. Weeks, Cowles Horton, J. T. Thomas, Cas Heath, Sr., W. B. Hoffa, F. R. Lickfold, Sr., R. W. Sharp, E. C. Neelly, George Lambert, J. S. Sharp, R. A. Clanton, C. A. Perry, H. L. Honeycutt, J. S. Ladd, Sr., W. N. Hayward, J. H. Horn, Lewis Weir, Donald Sharp, J. L. Townes, Sr., J. M. Talbert and Claud Hall.

In addition to the two daughters, Mesdames Steen and Collins by his first marriage, mentioned elsewhere, Mr. Williams is survived by his widow and the following children: Mr. Homer J. Williams, of Grenada, Mrs. R. W. Tyson, of Jackson, Miss., Hon. Milton Williams, of Memphis, Wagner Williams, of West Point, Miss., Mrs. L. A. Payne, and Miss Julia Williams, both of Memphis, Mrs. N. F. Ringold and Charles Williams, of Grenada, John Williams and Fred Williams, of Jackson, Miss., and T. Edward Williams, of Ripley, Miss. To these sorrowful sons and daughters (most of whom Dr. W. H. Whitaker, the writer's father, helped usher into the world) and to the widow, we extend our sincere sympathy.

Three Grenada Men Ordered to Camp

Three Grenada white men, Messrs Frank Grover Moore, Rice Inman Lawrence and Tom Morton Horner, were ordered to report to the local draft board Monday to be sent therefrom to the induction station at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, according to a report from Hurd Horton, secretary of the local draft board.

These younger fellows are too young for me.

Who's At The Hospital

BY AINT THEY SWEET

Patients in the hospital: H. Tyler Holmes, Winona; Harold Oswald, Bellfountain; Mrs. J. C. Nutes, Grenada; Mr. George Lamb, Grenada; Mr. Joe M. Moore, Carrollton; Walter Garner, Jr., Grenada; Paul Artman, r. Grenada; Mrs. J. C. Dabney and infant, Grenada; Mrs. Archie Stubbs and infant, Grenada; Mrs. W. J. Watson, Serepta; Mrs. J. L. Adams, Grenada; Mrs. Lonie Perry and infant, Francis Hill Pery, R. F. D., Grenada; Mr. J. Morman, Rt. 4, Grenada; Mr. Alley Cohea, Big Creek; James Burk, Batesville; Mr. R. J. Sturgis, Pope.

Patients dismissed: Mr. Will Young, Graysport; Mrs. J. H. Curry and infant, Holcomb; Mr. J. P. Casidy, McCarley; Mrs. C. L. Saunders and baby, Grenada; Mr. Henry Campbell, Duck Hill; Mr. E. Corder, Carrollton; Mrs. Ruey Hitt, Grenada; Wimer ster, Calhoun City; Mrs. W. W. Collins, Grenada; Mary Helen McClain, McCarley; Mr. Douglass McNeer, Lefiore; Essie and Myrtle Marter, Duck Hill.

Status Of Food Stamp Plan Still Uncertain

Mr. Gilfoy, representative of the Food Stamp Plan again appeared before the county board of supervisors Tuesday morning and again explained briefly the way the plan "worked". This plan has been explained in these columns so frequently that we deem it unnecessary to go into details again.

Mr. J. H. Oliver acted as chairman of the meeting which was attended by the four members of the county board, Mr. Elliott of District Five still being unable to attend the meeting, Mayor Sharp, Alderman Perry, and a number of business men of Grenada.

The supervisors take this position, as we understand it: they will not bear all of the expenses of maintaining the $480 per annum organization, and, should the board agree to sponsor the plan it will do so only upon the understanding that the city will share maintenance expenses. It should be said in fairness that the supervisors did not definitely commit themselves to the plan, even if the city did agree to share expenses. To put it in a simple way, the supervisors are waiting to see what the city will do.

As for the city, Mayor Sharp stated that he would take the matter up with the aldermen at the informal meeting to be held Friday night.

The Stork Flew By And Left . . .

a little boy for Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dabney of Grenada at Grenada Hospital on January 6, 1941.

a little boy for Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stubbs, of Grenada, at Grenada Hospital on January 5, 1941.

a little son, Francis Hill Perry, for Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Perry, of Grenada County on January 5, 1941.

ATTENDED WILLIAMS FUNERAL

The following is a partial list of the out-of-town people who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Van W. Williams:

From Jackson: Mrs. Lizzie Daniels, Mrs. James Pierce, Mrs. Joe Bowers, Mr. J. C. Cook, Mrs. Willie B. Farnham, Mrs. J. R Hooker, Miss Donna Harpole, Mrs. A. Y. Williams, Mrs Minnie Alvis, Mrs. Clarence Harpole, Mrs. T. A. Murry; from Greenwood, Mrs. Irene Whitthe, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark, Mrs. James Beall; from Water Valley, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wilcox, Mrs. J. F. Payne, Mrs. E. L. McVay; from West Point, Mr. and Mrs W. G. Adams, Mrs. Joe Higginbottom, Mr. Neil Brogan; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bowers, Hattiesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Salmon, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stovall, Stovall; Mr. and Mrs. Orran Burks, Batesville; Mr. James Blaydes, Atoka, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Herring, Louisville, Miss.; Mr. T. J. Lowry, Messrs. Hadley, Holder, and York, of Houston, Miss., (men from State Highway Department).

Had a letter from Lee Taylor who spelled out the GCW thus Grenada County Weekly, for he said the term "GCW" looked too much like some of this government business.

Earl Burkley was able to get rid of a lot of Christmas cheese, sausage, etc. at a stag party recently.

Hoffa Writes Interesting Letter About City Affairs

I want to call on the people of Grenada to wake up and take advantage of the opportunity now theirs to help Grenada along to a better day. Do not sit smugly in the side of your own affairs and think that you have discharged your duty to your town whose blessings you enjoy. As a citizen you owe Grenada much. Won't you all get together and make Grenada what she deserves to be? Do not shape your actions on those of the bold horse and buggy days. If you want a fast moving streamlined town you will have to learn the lesson that you will have to give to get. By way of illustration our city administration, wishing to raise our general fund taxation from 7 mills at which it now stands to 10 mills, only a percentage of one third of one cent would be used for city improvement. Upon the petition of the people for an election and stating that "we favor a curtailment of the expenses and a reduction of taxes rather than an increase in taxes." You all signed this. What could the board do? Don't cuss them.

Columbus, Miss., the most progressive town in North Mississippi has a general fund tax to help along in their progressive movements of 20 mills which they have to contribute to the city's general improvements, and a school tax of 35 mills and a bond tax besides.

By the short sighted action of denying the board the small increase asked for you have voided the possibility of the board of supporting the stamp plan which would bring into the town and county, government money of over $150,000 for the year as well as the usual calls you are always making on the board for this and that and all of which will now be denied. What were you thinking about in signing this petition Certainly not about Grenada's true welfare. Are you going to stop Grenada's growth? "You have to give to get."

W. B. HOFFA

Methodist Conference In Grenada

The Grenada First Methodist Church was the scene today (Thursday) of the North Mississippi Conference. The meeting being called by the presiding Bishop Hoyt M. Dobbs, of Jackson. The presiding bishop was assisted by Bishop J. Loyd DeCell, of Atlanta, Ga.

This assembly included all Methodist activities in the Northern half of the State, Stewards, Trustees, Church School leaders, Woman's Society of Christian Service, Youth leaders and the 150 pastoral charges will be represented.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service President, Mrs. W. H. Ratliff, of Clarksdale and Bishop DeCell will speak, with other leaders on the day's program. Bishop Dobbs will speak on "Conference Aims for 1941."

'Aunt" Fanny Minter Burned To Death

"Aunt" Fanny Minter, 80 years of age, accredited with being the oldest person in Grenada County, January 6, 1941, died from effects of a burn she sustained when her clothing was ignited as she was building a fire in her home.

She came to Grenada soon after "The Surrender" in 1865 and has lived here ever since. She received her training as a practical nurse in the Confederate hospital in war-torn Atlanta, Ga., during the Civil War. She, like practically all of the colored people of her age, was born in slavery.

The fearful yellow fever scourge that almost depopulated Grenada in 1878 found "Aunt" Fanny nursing the sick in the homes of Grenada. Three of the old time physicians of Grenada, Doctors Ray, Gage and Trimble, used "Aunt" Fanny exclusively. Doctors Whitaker and Young often used her for their serious cases.

Her death broke the longest and strongest chain that bound the Grenada of remote past with Grenada of the present, for her mind, clear until the last, was a vast reservoir of information concerning people, things and events in Grenada's history for the past 80 years.

She was one of the original founders of Bellflower Church, the oldest colored church in Grenada, and it was there that the funeral services were conducted by the pastor, R. S. Bostic, on Wednesday. Numerous relatives, largely of the respected Weathers family, survive her.

The guilty flee when no man pursueth. Both Earl Burkley and McKell thought I was referring to them in two casual comments on the Fortnightly (spell it right, Horn) dance week before last. Tut, tut.

Grenada County Baptists Plan Great Movement

W. M. U Officers And Circle Leaders for 1941

I. C. Train No. 1 Derailed Near Here

Mrs. John Quinn, Jr. Passes Away

Friends in Grenada of Mrs. John Quinn, Jr., nee Sally Lee Barner, of Greenwood, were shocked to hear of her death on Wednesday following an automobile accident which occurred on Monday, December 30th.

Mrs. Quinn attended Grenada College and was a close friend of many young ladies here and elsewhere over this district, who grieve at her untimely passing. She attended school here at the same time that Mrs. Sidney Kent and Mrs. Sam Hall Garner attended and was a special friend of theirs. Burial was in Greenwood Thursday.

It must be fashionable to have the flu, as everybody has. The drug store boys now know there is a Santa Claus. Even a blind hog gets an acorn once in a while.

For the first time in months, we have been able to clean up our job book. Bring in some more, boys, and help keep Greenfield out of devilment.

Power Company Asked For Reduced Rates By Citizens

Being in possession a copy of the letter and petition it... Mississippi Power... all of

... 1941.

... Power & Light Co.,

... positive answer to ... weeks from ...

... as brief as ... the point and by way ...

... fully yours,

... BRISCOE,
... Miss., January 6, 1941
... Power & Light Co.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
County of Grenada.

I, C. W. Briscoe, do hereby certify the above to be a true and exact copy of the original of a certain petition addressed to Mississippi Power & Light Company, dated January 6th, 1941, and delivered to the office of Mississippi Power & Light Company, at Grenada, Mississippi on January 6th, 1941.

C. W. BRISCOE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by C. W. Briscoe, at Grenada, Mississippi, this the 6th day of January, 1941.

W. K. HUFFINGTON,
Notary Public.
My Commission Expires Jan. 11, 1942

"WAR" NEWS ABSENT

Our Camp Blanding correspondent, Corporal W. W. Whitaker, Jr., we understand, has been acting as Mess Sargeant, and mighty busy. In any event, his news failed to arrive in time for press time.

The prohibitionists have forgotten, they always do, to back up the officers in the latter's efforts to enforce the liquor laws.

(Mineral Rights) 11-21-3 Cat. .....

GRENADA COUNTY WEEKLY

W. W. WHITAKER ..... Editor
MRS. W. W. WHITAKER ..... Publisher

Entered as second class mail matter at the post office at Grenada, Miss., under Act of Congress of March 8, 1879

Subscription Prices: $1.50 per Year in Grenada County and Vicinity; $2.00 per Year for others. Subscriptions are Payable Strictly In Advance.

"Grenada County News A Specialty; Other News Used Only in Emergencies"

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1941

What Makes Grenada Great

Among the 5000-10000 class large towns in Mississippi, Grenada takes a leading place, and it did not attain this rank and rating through accident, but, primarily through geographical location, being, as it is, in the center of North Mississippi, equidistant from Jackson and Memphis, and from Alabama and Arkansas.

The prodigious cotton crops of the Delta bring only temporary prosperity, lasting only a few months, to the towns of the Delta. The larger towns of the hill section have larger and more productive farming territory to draw upon than Grenada has. Were Grenada dependent entirely upon the farm production in its territory, it would be little larger than Coffeeville.

Our people here, or at least some of them who do not seek to analyze the prosperity that this town enjoys, sometimes emulate the hog who eats the acorns without knowing that these acorns are produced by the giant oak spreading over his head.

In the past five years, Grenada's old business district has experienced a rejuvenation. Walk about the square, and note the attractive and modern store fronts. Walk within the stores and note the modern display methods employed. Then, close your eyes and try to visualize the same stores even five years ago. This modernization of exteriors and interiors has given Grenada a prosperous, city-like appearance. Buyers instinctively are drawn to towns which exude prosperity and which present alluring merchandise attractively. In the "new" town on Commerce Street, five years have seen the erection of many establishments which "trap" the foreign money, the money spent by the passers-by. Green Street, once the Cinderella of the town, has been subject of many improvements, especially by Horton & Horton. Thus, the retail merchants, seeking their increasing opportunities, and sensing the growing importance of Grenada as a trade and distribution center, have been alert, and they have had a large part in the rebirth of Grenada. The new employees necessary to operate these stores are extra consumers of Grenada's goods and services.

Generally speaking, Grenada takes raw materials makes finished or semi-finished products of these materials, sells the products away, and brings back to Grenada the profits, and leaving also in Grenada the wages and salaries of the workers. The list of such establishments is a long one, and a diversified one, and while we are not intentionally omitting any, we will merely enumerate from memory some of the establishments that to-gether contribute to Grenada's greatness as a distribution center, and as a manufacturing center.

Take Grenada Oil Mill, which takes cottonseed from cotton produced in perhaps a dozen counties, employs local labor in processing, ships off the finished products, and keeps the profits here, and you have a good example of what we are trying to say.

The high density press houses and hot presses cotton, not just from Grenada county, but from a dozen or more counties. Local labor, and local managers, live here, pay local doctors, drinks local soft drinks and patronizes local establishments.

It can hardly be said that a hospital is a industry, but the Grenada Hospital draws patients from four or five counties. Kinsmen and friends visiting the patients shop in our stores, eat in our restaurants, and, perhaps more important, GET USED TO COMING TO GRENADA.

Grenada Industries, Inc., the city sponsored silk hosiery mill, it has been estimated, pays out for wages and local supplies, about one-quarter million dollars a year. Over three hundred young men and women work there. All receive good wages. This industry is the newest industry, and from the point of view of benefits to the community, eclipses all others.

The I. C. Railroad, traditionally paying large salaries and wages, might easily be overlooked, for its work is done quietly and without much show; but it is a powerful influence in the prosperity of Grenada. Hardly anyone in the better sections of Grenada lives more than three doors from some good citizen who earns his living from the I. C. System.

The Tie Plant, or officially called The Wood Products Corporation, just south of Grenada and almost an integral part of Grenada is a faithful old milk cow from which we Grenada people have milked millions of gallons of "milk." This plant helps make freight receipts at Grenada so great.

The Grenada Plywood Company and the Grenada Stave Company, apparently allied at the top as Allen Concierge Company, employ scores of men and many men and women in managerial capacity. They furnish huge freight receipts to the railroad, and all of us benefit.

Most automobile makers have retail outlets here in Grenada, and all of them contribute to the growth and prosperity of Grenada. Outstanding among these agencies is the two-year-old Oliver Lilly Company, whose growth has been little short of phenominal. Its executives and salesmen and other employees would repopulate a town almost as large as Holcomb. Showing that Grenada is a style automobile town, and that Joe Neely is a hustler, it should be said that he has "toughed" it out as an agent for Chrysler longer than any man in Mississippi, and almost as long as ANY dealer for ANY car in the Nation. Moss Brothers have recently taken over an agency for NASH, while Art Quantrell recently moved in to take over Chevrolet sales. Our neighbor, Fred Griffin, gives 'em all fits in selling Buicks and Pontiacs, while Biddy down on Commerce sells Studebaker cars.

This tale, we see, is getting mighty long. We had better shorten up the inventory. The telephone company has its district office here, with many employees not used exclusively in this town. The much-maligned power company is another company with district office here, and, in spite of the cussing it gets, it pays out more money here than it takes in from local power consumers. H. A. Alexander had an idea about burial insurance, and he and his associates have literally made a business that gives employment to many local people. The Grenada Grocery Company and the Volunteer system, allied to it, bring in cars loaded with merchandise (adding to the railroad receipts) and distributes its products over a territory covering about 15 counties of this section; giving employment to many heads of families; and adding to Grenada's growth and importance. This is a million dollar business.

All of this growth entails new houses, and, by and large, the Grenada lumber companies and the Grenada contractors have built these houses, giving almost constant employment to all carpenters, masons, plumbers, electricians and other artisans needs in construction.

The weekly sale of cattle and other livestock at the Fair Grounds brings countless dollars into the local community. Grenada has good doctors and good dentists, and their patients spend their money here, and get in the "Grenada habit". Grenada has many good restaurants which not only cater to local patronge, but "trap" many foreign dollars to add to the general welfare.

The magnificent passenger service rendered by the Tri-State Transit Company, which sends five busses to and from Jackson daily, and an equal number to and from Memphis, results in thousands of shoppers for Grenada, and the money spent here by through passengers, who usually stop here for fifteen or twenty minutes, is not to be ignored.

Homer Williams and his Grenada Theatre might be considered just a local institution, but he draws many a dollar for others, as well as for himself, from patrons who come from beyond the county limits. He more or less subsidizes several large trucks each Saturday—and this fact is not generally known. But, this, too, brings "foreign" money to Grenada.

Our two large hotels and several smaller ones, providing comfortable quarters for the traveler, not only profit from these travelers, but bring profit without cost to the general community.

In a hurriedly written article about the reasons for the growth and prosperity of Grenada—just written without reference to any notes—many important factors might conceivably have been overlooked, but, we assure you not intentionally overlooked.

GRENADA NEEDS: the establishment of the Food Stamp Plan which will bring in as much cash money as two hosiery mills.

GRENADA NEEDS: to form the center of a Hill Council to coordinate the political and economic influence of the hill section so that, among other things, it can help make our farmers more prosperous by fighting for a greater cotton acreage allotment and for more pay from the bottomless federal sack.

GRENADA NEEDS: to get rid of a good many bad niggers" who toil not, nor spin, but who live upon the fruits of the toil of those who do work, and who furnish bad influences and bad environment for the self-respecting colored people who seek to rear their children under moral conditions, and who seek to live unmolested by rowdyism among their own people.

GRENADA NEEDS: some factory to give employment to the class of labor now employed on WPA, for it is obvious that the WPA, and other organizations designed to create employment at the expense of the general government, cannot last forever.

GRENADA NEEDS: better parking facilitise for out of town traders. A great help to alleviate the critical parking situation would be for merchants and clerks to walk to town and leave open the valuable space that they usually preempt for twelve or fifteen hours a day.

GRENADA NEEDS: more adequate street lighting. There are too many "dark spots" in Grenada.

GRENADA NEEDS: a comprehensive survey of its inadequate water and sewer system, which has been built in a patchwork fashion, and with little regard to future growth. This survey would give the information necessary to form a large WPA water and sewer extension project. It could be financed without a bond issue, by pledging certain amounts from water receipts.

GRENADA NEEDS: a decent rest room for colored women. This need is obvious and urgent.

The editor who has been hardy enough to read thru this long-winded article may well add a postscript reading, "GRENADA NEEDS: a less loquacious editor."

Sincere Flattery

Emulation is said to be the most sincere form of flattery. If that is so, we are greatly flattered by the number of county newspapers, including the Cobb County Times of Marietta, Georgia, which have summarized (for the first time) the events in their respective communities for the year 1940. While we made no actual count, we believe we have seen nearly a dozen weekly newspapers which, for the first time, did this for their readers this year. The Grenada County Weekly has done this for three years.

Why Not The Stamp Plnn?

Maybe we're just plain dumb but we can't understand all this to-do about not being able to use the Stamp Plan except in a few counties of the state because of "limited funds and limited staff." That disgusting thing known as the "Commodity" program goes merrily on, competing with legitimate business and setting up a permanent monument to governmental waste and extravagance. Anybody who wants it can get some of the stuff. Recently a salesman told us he walked into one of the bureaus in an adjoining county and came away with two big boxes of apples. No one said a word to him about his not needing them. People get eggs and butter in such quantities that they attempt to sell both to merchants as "county produce." The nasty cold storage eggs don't fool merchants, though, and most of these are thrown away. Here in the South we can't eat the awful things and it's a waste of money to send them here.

If this ridiculous program can go on, why couldn't the Stamp Plan be used in its stead . . . same personnel, same finances. But, no, that would be too much to expect . . . commonsense from U. S. government in 1940. Never! Why, it's unheard of!—Summit Sun.

That we have made material progress in spite of the bitterness often seen in these columns shows us that, without such bitterness, we should make greater progress.

This old fetish of "Trade At Home" is not worth a damn unless the people at home KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE AND WHAT YOU CHARGE FOR IT.

Tell 'em and sell 'em.

The Choctaw Plaindealer

The Choctaw Plaindealer, 54-year-old official organ of Choctaw County, came out in a new dress, and a more attractive one, on January 3rd. Mr. Seawright, long editor and publisher of this newspaper, was forced by ill health to retire. A new editor, Mr. W. S. Winston, and new owners, Messrs. Ned Lee, Grady Cook and W. S. Winston, now control the destiny of this newspaper.

To our old friend, Seawright, we express the hope that his recovery will be complete and speedy; to the new gentlemen, we extend our best wishes.

A Hill Council could be adequately financed with a self-imposed tax of five cents per acre upon allotted cotton acreage and from voluntary contributions from business institutions that would benefit directly from such an organization.

This news item, from West Point, Mississippi, appeared in yesterday's Commercial Appeal: "Retail business has picked up 40 per ment since Nov. 1, due to inauguration of the Food Stamp Plan, and in one week a single grocer took in more than $1,000 worth of stamps."

Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

Bob Horton, of Canton, and Mrs. Boyd Campbell attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Pearsell, in Grenada Saturday

Mark our prediction: the combined American Navy and the Royal Navy will finally end this war by slowly strangling the enemies of democracy. The Royal Navy alone is doing a darn good job of strangulation by itself.

Our paper is not scattered all over town free, but it enters almost every home whose budget will allow the expenditure of $1.50 annually. This is a tip to advertisers. If folks cannot pay $1.50 for a good newspaper, they have little money to spend.

If I had to give a prize, I believe I would have given the prize to the best jitter bugger to little Chick Locket, tho the rest of the Lockette trailed mighty close behind.

At the dance, our Mr. Greenfield's tonsils and throat were either too damp, or too dry, to render his favorite song, Let Me Call You Sweetheart.

Uncle Sam must have paid Jim Shaw for he not only renewed for Louise, his wife, but subscribed for himself.

Supervisor J. B. Strider has a handsome pair of new boots which Santa Claus must have brought him.

Runt Mohead from Little Texas, was in Grenada Wednesday. He looks better than he ever looked.

Art Quantrell is getting fat

Matt Cooley's boarding house, The Hotel de Jail, received capacity patronage during the Christmas holidays

Christmas Day was celebrated in Grenada with many informal gatherings. Friends dropping in for a cigar, a chat, and, perhaps, a small nip.

We were unable to get Greenfield to work on Christmas Day hence, the next Yom Kipper that rolls around, you may expect to see him working here at the shop. He cannot be fish and fowl too

Tommie Rose reports the heaviest bus traffic ever known on the Tri-State buses. From one to three extra buses were used on every schedule. There was much giddy going on during the present Christmas

The police were busy, too, with minor drunks and minor cases of disorder.

dere mr top. ime biddin yu a fond a dew fer ime thru with poller ticks

Mr. McKnight, the county tax assessor, is sending a message of importance to the home owners of this county. Better pay attention to it.

George Grant, our landlord, made his monthly visit on the first, and went away smiling, as usual.

I devoted over a year to trying to find out something about the power question. The further I went, the less I knew. I am turning the solution of that question over to Mr. C. W. Briscoe who is currently raising the dust.

If Grenada really wants to change up its power business - which we doubt - the city council should employ the very best electricial engineer available to make a comprehensive survey of the whole situation. We get no where with talk from laymen who know little about the technical sides of the question.

Many people here say they read and enjoy Corporal Whitaker's column sent in from Camp Blanding, Fla. He is the oldest son of Editor and Mrs. Whotaker.

Government experts predict that there will not be the usual seasonal fall-off in business during the months of January and February. We can speak more definitely about that on March 1.

Don't believe we mentioned Brother Strahan's paying his subscriptions but we have been mighty busy, and, too, the old lady has used so much space sity doings.

Several from Mt. Nebo came to town Saturday, but did not get into serious devilment.

Christmas, New Year and the Sugar Bowl game are all over, so now the poker players can get back to the serious business of life.

Well, they say they are going to call an election to fill my vacant seat on the city council, soon. Hope the new one has better luck than I did.

Aint they sweet.

I Resolve: to quit cussing. Claud Perry.

To depend on the saloonkeepers instead of upon Santa Claus. Pete Embry.

PYORRHEA MAY FOLLOW NEGLECT

Are your gums unsightly? Do your gums cause you embarrassment? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

DYRE-KENT DRUG COMPANY

WE BUY

BLOCKS

Gum, Sycamore, Birch, Hackberry, and Elm

Blocks should be cut 32 inches in length and 10 inches and up in diameter

Delivered at our plant or Loaded on Cars

Grenada Stave Co.

Awake at the Switch for 1941

Down the track, head on, comes a bright new train numbered 1941, full of power and possibilities. All we can see is the front of it. What's behind that engine wouldn't we give a lot to know!

It may be a year of joy or a year of tragedy. It may bring us progress and prosperity or dash our hopes. For the railroads, as for the nation, this is a time for planning and for prayer. There are so many things we cannot guess or know.

BUT THIS WE DO KNOW: On our railroad, as in our nation, there is the calm confidence of ability to meet the needs of 1941.

We on the Illinois Central have in our hearts and minds the fruits of nearly ninety years of railway operating experience. Crises are nothing new to an organization and a plant like ours. We have carried through them in the past, and we will continue to carry on.

We have just completed a year in which, besides meeting all traffic demands, we continued our preparation to handle future needs. We modernized approximately 100 freight locomotives, bought more than 3,000 and rebuilt more than 5,700 freight cars, reduced our percentage of temporarily unusable freight cars to 1.6, added notably to our diesel-electric switching and transfer fleet, installed one long-distance diesel-electric streamline passenger train and had in use or under construction three smaller units for shorter runs.

SO REMEMBER THIS: Whenever 1941 approaches a turning point in Illinois Central territory, it will find a railroad ready for action and wide awake at the switch.

J. L. Beven
President

Local and Social Activities

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Society Editor. Phones 83 and 747

MacDOWELL MUSICALE

The charming home of Mrs. C. S. Liles was the scene of the January meeting of the MacDowell Musicale on Thursday afternoon of last week. Co-hostesses were Misses Mary Louise West, Elizey and Louise Smith.

Mrs. Walter Garner, president, presided during the enjoyable program and the business meeting.

Announcement was made of the "Open Program" to be presented in March at the Barwin Hotel. The public will be entertained at this very delightful program presented by all of the members. The club plans to use elaborate and fancy costumes in the presentation of "Old Fashion Music." Committees were named for this presentation, by Mrs. Garner. More publicity will be given later.

The theme of the January program was "Atmosphere."

The leader, Miss Catherine Wilson.

Roll call, Mrs. Raphael Semmes.

Paper—"What Atmosphere Means to a Composer", Miss Wilson.

Piano Solo, Prelude in C# Minor, Mrs. R. Semmes.

Vocal Quartette Snow Flakes, Miss Louise Smith, Mrs. J. R. Holland, Mrs. E. E. Penn and Mr. G. W. Whitten. Accompanist, Mrs. J. C. Calhoun.

Piano Solo, Romance in G, 24 No. 9 by Sibelius, Mrs. J. L. Cooley.

Recorded Violin Concerto.

Piano Solo—The Nightingale, Mrs. Dollarside.

At the close of the afternoon program the hostess served delicious creamed chicken salad, wafers, sandwiches, olives and coffee in the dining room. The charmingly appointed table was centered by an arrangement of crimson snapdragons with fern and white carnations. White tapers burned in silver holders flanking the floral arrangement.

Miss Mary Louise West assisted the hostesses and Mrs. Elizey [illegible]

MRS. JOHN RUNDLE AND MRS. WATERMAN HOSTESS

Twentieth Century Club members met at the lovely home of Mrs. John Rundle Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. C. C. Waterman was co-hostess on this occasion.

The charmingly arranged living room had as decoration, colorful poinsettia and cyclamun blossoms.

Mrs. J. K. Avent, president, presided graciously during the short business session and the very interesting program. The subject discussed was "American Trends in Religion."

Mrs. R. W. Sharp gave a splendid paper on "Voodooism."

Mrs. C. C. Penn substituted on the program for Mrs. E. B. Provine, discussed, most interestingly, "Father Divine's Faith."

Mrs. H. J. Ray's enlightening contribution to the splendid program was based on Vardis Fisher's book, "Children of God."

During the social half hour which followed the program, Mrs. Rundle and Mrs. Waterman served delicious frozen salad on lettuce, wafers, olives and coffee.

Mrs. T. B. Thrower was welcomed as a guest.

Morton's Meat Salt
FRENCH MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Milner, of Thornton, Indiana, visited their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Milner in Grenada over the week end. They were enroute to Florida.

Mrs. J. W. Riley and two sons, Douglass and Bobby, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lott and their brother Pierce, of Columbus, Ga., returned to their homes early this week after a holiday visit with their sister, Mrs. W. C. Blaylock and family.

LUNCHEON CLUB

Mrs. John Ben Perry, Jr., was hostess to members of the Bridge Luncheon Club on Tuesday of this week. Her charming living room, where the two card tables were arranged proved a most delightful setting for this group of bridge enthusiasts. Mesdames E. L. Wilkins and W. K. Kuhne were non-member guests, invited by Mrs. Perry for this lovely social.

The club met at one o'clock and game were enjoyed throughout most of the afternoon.

MRS. BEN TOWNES HOSTESS

On Friday of last week Mrs. Ben Townes entertained Bridge club members at her lovely home on College Boulevard. Two tables were arranged for the guests, all members. At the conclusion of the games it was found that Mrs. Walter Garner had compiled high score. She received a double deck of cards as prize.

Delicious sandwiches and coca colas were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Perry, Jr., were guests of their brother, Mr. Ray Perry and wife, all of last week, in their New Orleans home. They attended the game at the Sugar Bowl.

Mr. Jimmie Slaughter, of New Orleans, was a guest in the home of his cousin, Dr. J. K. Avent and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickinson returned home Sunday after a holiday visit in the home of their parents in New Orleans.

Miss Birja Wilkins has returned home after a visit with her mother in Kansas City.

Mr. Guy Marter made his parents happy with a brief visit to their home in Graysport during the holidays. Guy has a responsible position with Barfer Brothers in Louisiana.

Misses Rowena and Maydell Betz, accompanied by their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Klink, all of Memphis, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Betz.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pinney and family will be interested in the fact that they are now residing in the City of Grenada, in the residence of Mr. John Brown Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhett and their family of six sons, of Columbus, are now residing at Glenwild in the residence formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Pinney. We welcome these new citizens to Grenada county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Trotter and son, Bill, visited briefly with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jennings and Mrs. D. G. Ross on Sunday afternoon when enroute to their home at the university. They were [illegible] from Jackson.

Morton Sausage Seasoning
FRENCH MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. John McLachlin and son spent the weekend at West Point as guests of Mr. McLachlin's brother and visited at M. S. C. W. Campus with friends on Sunday.

Wide variety of shrubbery. Grown locally, reasonable prices. Grenada Floral Co. Phone 630.

Mrs. Melton and daughter of Durant, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kettle during the holidays.

Plants: Arl of Vitaes, Legustrums, Spireas, Nandias, Spreading Junnipers. Grenada Floral Co., Phone 630.

Relatives from out of town of Mr. L. C. Neelly, ex-Mayor of Grenada, have visited in the Neelly home the past week during Mr. Neelly's critical illness are, his sisters, Mrs. Philip Willingham, of Emelle, Ala., and Mrs. C. C. Boyd and daughter, of Livingston, Ala. The above mentioned have returned to their homes. Mrs. Jack Walker of Holly Springs is here with her sister, Mrs. Neelly, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Neelly, of Drew and Mrs. Harry Corey, of New Orleans, are here also with Mr. Neelly, who remains critically ill.

Mr. Frank Gerard, Jr., who because ill with "flu" during Christmas holidays, has improved sufficiently to resume his duties as teacher in the high school at Cameron, N. C. He left Thursday.

Morton's Smoke Salt
FRENCH MARKET

Mrs. C. C. Ferrell, of Meridian, was called to the home of her son, Mr. Charles Ferrell early this week because of the illness [illegible] of Mr. Charles Ferrell and Charles, Jr.

The daughter (Mrs. Walter Garner) of our good neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jackson is ill with flu at their home on South Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prose were happy to have their son, James, medical student at University of Louisiana, at home for the holidays. He returned to his studies Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers and little daughter, of Hattiesburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Williams the past week-end and most of this week. Mr. Bowers is a brother of Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Bowers is remembered as Miss Sue Hitt, secretary and assistant to the late Dr. Emma K. Hock, who practiced Chiropractic in Grenada for several years.

GRENADA W. M. U. MEMBERS ATTEND MEETING IN WINONA

Monday afternoon a group of ladies, members of W. M. U. at First Baptist Church Grenada, attended the District W. M. U. Institute at Winona. Included were Mesdames Sam Simmons, Sr., Fred Simmons, E. B. Green, J. B. Perry, Sr., Lilly Pressgrove, Hilda Thiel, Jonnie Lee, R. L. Vandiver, A. N. Rayburn, Frank Thompson, and Reese Houston.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. J. B. Keeton next Monday night at 7:30.

Stuart Papershell Pecans, 5 pound lots 15c pound.
FRENCH MARKET

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks and genuine gratitude for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father. Your manifestations of love and friendship made your sorrow easier to bear.

May God bless you.

Mrs. Van W. Williams and Children.

THIRTEEN PROGRAMS TO BE BROADCAST

Beginning next Sunday afternoon, January 5, at 3:00 o'clock CST, WSLI will broadcast thirteen programs of the Baptist Hour sponsored by the Radio Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention. Dr. M. E. Dodd, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Shreveport, La., will be the first speaker and his subject will be "Christ and Human Ills."

Stations on the independent network carrying the program of the Baptist Hour will be as follows: WRNL, Richmond, Va.; WPTF, Raleigh, N. C.; WSPA, Spartanburg, S. C.; WSB, Atlanta, Ga.; WSSB, Greenville, S. C.; WBRC, Birmingham, Ala.; WSLI, Jackson, Miss.; WMPS, Memphis, Tenn.; WSM, Nashville, Tenn.

In addition to the stations on the network the following [illegible] will carry this program by transcription hours named: [illegible] WAVE, Louisville, Ky. [illegible] Shreveport, La., 2:30 [illegible]

Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

For Sale 100 gallons La. Syrup "It's good." French Market

Have Your Charm Well In Hand During 1941

In appearance, how do you rate? An evaluation is made up of personality, bearing and clothing. But first impressions . . . so important in life's . . . are greatly influenced by your appearance. You can arouse admiration, even envy by being nice always . . . It is not a matter of spending large sums on your clothes . . . it is merely to keep your favorite and becoming clothes fastidiously clean and smart looking.

THAT'S WHERE WE CAN HELP YOU ACHIEVE THE POPULARITY AND SUCCESS YOU WANT.

When Your Clothes Need Cleaning Call

588

WHITE WAY CLEANERS

OUR 1941 PRICE REDUCTION ON USED CARS IS NOW ON ALL USED CARS

1940 Oldsmobile Special 70, Sedan with radio and heater. New tires . . .	$735
1939 DODGE SEDAN . .	495
1939 Plymouth DeLuxe Sedan	475
1938 Plymouth DeLuxe Coach Radio and Heater	425
1937 Chevrolet Master Sedan Radio and Heater	365
1936 Master Chevrolet . Radio and Heater	275
1937 Chrysler Royal Sedan Radio and Heater	375

We have many other used cars and a few used cars that have been repossessed will sell for

$25.00 to $100.00

See us before you buy

We have been selling automobiles in Grenada for over 30 years

GRENADA AUTO CO.

J. H. Neely, Pres. On The Square Grenada, Miss.

FHA LOANS
To Build
For Repairs
To Remodel
City Lumber Co.
Phone 79 Grenada, Miss

Call 10 for COAL
TRUCK Coals
Red Ash Coals.
Coke by Rail
Whitaker Coal Co.
709 Third St
(Coal Heaters Less Firing)

BE Quick TO ANSWER
when your telephone rings. If you delay, the caller may think you're out and hang up. And it might be an important call you've missed.

BE Slow TO HANG UP
when making a call. Your party may not be able to answer at once, so a few moments' wait will often save you the trouble of a second call.

Why pay more than Chevrolet's low prices when CHEVROLET brings you all these great FEATURES and ECONOMY, too!

ORIGINAL VACUUM-POWER SHIFT (at no extra cost) BUILT AS ONLY CHEVROLET BUILDS IT
GIVE LOW-PRICED CARS THIS "QUALITY QUIZ" AND YOU'LL CHOOSE CHEVROLET!
CHEVROLET
No. 2 CAR
No. 3 CAR
90-H.P. ENGINE YES NO NO
CONCEALED SAFETY-STEPS YES NO NO
VACUUM-POWER SHIFT AT NO EXTRA COST YES NO NO
BODY BY FISHER WITH UNISTEEL TURRET TOP YES NO NO
UNITIZED KNEE-ACTION YES NO NO
BOX-GIRDER FRAME YES NO NO
ORIGINAL FISHER NO DRAFT VENTILATION YES NO NO
TIPTOE-MATIC CLUTCH YES NO NO
You'll Say "FIRST BECAUSE IT'S FINEST!"
"CONCEALED SAFETY-STEPS AT EACH DOOR (instead of old-fashioned running boards) with CHEVROLET'S DASHING NEW "ARISTOSTYLE" DESIGN
1941
THRILLING NEW BIGNESS IN ALL MAJOR DIMENSIONS
NEW LONGER WHEELBASE
90-H.P. VALVE-IN-HEAD "VICTORY" ENGINE
SAFE-T-SPECIAL HYDRAULIC BRAKES
DE LUXE KNEE-ACTION ON ALL MODELS WITH BALANCED SPRINGING FRONT AND REAR, AND IMPROVED SHOCKPROOF STEERING
LONGER, LARGER, WIDER FISHER BODIES WITH NO DRAFT VENTILATION

Again CHEVROLET'S the LEADER EYE IT... TRY IT... BUY IT.

ART QUANTRELL CHEVROLET COMPANY

Phone 111 GRENADA, MISS. 411 First

EMORY

year ago today (Jan. 1, 1941) called you away, to come and live him on high.

ar daddy, you don't know how t was and how we missed your care on our first Christmas ut you.

I know you have gone to be with free from all sorrow and care. some day I'm going to meet you here, where there'll be no more ood-byes.

you could only see the many iful flowers put on your grave. see your radiant smiles. But I you are seeing more beautiful in Heaven.

Daddy, when I saw your poor hands, I was made to think of poor broken hand, when He on the cross for the sins of the and veins were broken wright, our loved ones.

you never know how we miss- of the beautiful life you lived for Jesus. Others may see are to greet me at the door. ersed by your loving daugh

WILLIE

en, Heard and Told By The Editor

Scruggs and Tom Grant have changed to the Furniture Mart new furniture for their grow furniture business. Hope they do. info any devilment just can- scared out this point.

were wrong running for floater matter, we used to send a few copies of the paper we edited ering the Bay and Pearl sections we sold others free. Our Mr. Hudson, who has gone in the a home company, is the first subscriber we ever had in the Kil- hurrah, hurrah.

Snug Dodge now in Jim Shaw's Chevrolet building is using no ... a sign of the G.O.W. ... him direct ... client and customer. Very ... week.

... I will recommend ... election officer any ... when paid off and he ... in January ... Hint.

... sent in Chicago ... and has poor hall ... in Beat Four wedging ...

... that the last is ... Philadelphia was ... Century.

... what Herbert ... would do, stall a ... grievances, points, etc. ... the attention of the ... from Hitler's gigantic ... London on ...

... has not ... down lines ...

... getting old, as ... with Kossie Huf ...

Arch Henson, of Star Route, living ... informs us Beat Four was exam ... and found to be worthy to re ... the G.O.W. and to join our drinky ...

Epidemic Of Cold Symptoms

... Laxative with ... Nose Drops generally re ... cold symptoms. The first day ... Adv.

Whatever YOU want tires we've got the perfect answer at real savings!

U.S. ROYAL MASTER
For those who demand the best!
rica's foremost safety tire ter protection against blow and skids. Stops faster. Wear er. Costs less than you ... ur liberal change-over ...

U.S. ROYAL DE LUXE
With famous "Brake-Action" tread
yal De Luxe certainly ... a whale of a lot for your money in safety, in mileage, in ... and performance. Standard ... ipment on many of America's ... st cars.

THE U.S. TIRE
Top quality at bottom price!
rugged, full-size tire packed ... "U.S." quality and safety ... tures. Built by "U.S.", world's ... gest producer of rubber. Like ... U.S. Tires, backed by a ... lifetime guarantee.

444
e & Battery Shop

WHAT glorious adventures await you this holiday season when you travel Tri-State Coaches. Lowest fares . . . big deluxe steam heated coaches . . . convenient schedules . . . faster and safer. Surely you will enjoy your holiday trip more this season if you travel Tri-State Coaches. See our local agent for low fares and convenient schedules.

It will not be long now before we refuse to accept new subscribers, as we have nearly enough, as it's too much work to print and fold so many papers.

Nobody killed on 51 South Saturday night, but one person was wrecked pretty badly.

The easy defeat of Italy was due to the fact that the heart of the Italian people, generally speaking, was not in the war; that they are traditionally friendly to the English and hostile to the Germans.

J. C. Dabney, local head of the telephone trust, has been added to the ... list.

It looks like Red Briscoe is not by himself.

We are giving one more week to those gentlemen dancers whose wives were out of town the night of the dance.

The mechanics who erected the Tic Toc restaurant Saturday had a lot of help from idlers who gathered around and watched operations.

I believe now that even a trip to Cuba will be insufficient. They had better take Red Briscoe on a tour of the Caribbean Sea, if that's the way to spell it.

As for ourselves, we have gone out of the power business, as we publicly confess we know nothing about it, tho we at one time thought we knew a lot.

Dear Gene Fly: why don't you answer my letter sent you sometime in October?

We took a good excuse from T. J. Cole, and have reinstated him.

Country Sausage
FRENCH MARKET

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on December 11th, 1937, Rowland Johnson executed a trust deed under the terms of which the hereinafter described land was conveyed to O. D. Spratlin, Supt. Trustee to secure the payment to D. A. Williams, president of the Board of Supervisors or his successor in office of an indebtedness therein described, which trust deed is recorded in Book 71, Page 425, of the Mortgage Records of Grenada County, Mississippi; and whereas the undersigned was substituted as trustee on the margin of the record of said deed of trust in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Grenada County, Mississippi, said substitution having been ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, at its regular January, 1941, meeting, said order appearing in Minute Book M at page 201.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the performance of the condition of said trust deed, and the holder thereof has declared the entire indebtedness secured thereby due and has requested the undersigned to sell said lands as provided by said trust deed.

Therefore, the undersigned will, between eleven o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M., on January 31st, 1941, at the East door of the County Courthouse in Grenada, Mississippi, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described land in the aforesaid county and State:

South Half of Northwest Quarter and the Southeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section seventeen; and Southeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter of Section eighteen; and North Half of Northwest Quarter of Section twenty; all in Township twenty-three, Range seven East.

The undersigned will convey only such title as is vested in him as such trustee.

S. C. MIMS, Trustee.

12-19, 26, 31-1-8dw.

Sausage Casings
FRENCH MARKET

Classified

WANTED: Any of my friends who learn of a colored family large enough to tend a two mule share crop—Direct them to my farm, Beat 3. Must have in family a girl large enough to milk. My tenant house empty, will move as soon as I. O. Pearson. 12-12, 19-pd.

TAKEN UP: Jersey cow. Describe cow, pay for ad and pay me reasonable amount for feed, and get cow. J. M. Williams, Rt. 4. 12-19, 24, 1-5-c

FOR SALE—Lespedeza Hay, 50c a bale delivered at Graysport. Mrs. W. S. Willis.

STILL MISSING—Small black dog. Has white throat. The baby's pet. Large reward. Home address 401 College Street, Phone 201.

FOR SALE: Modern home and 23 acres of land west of Highway 51, 3½ miles north of Grenada. Water and sewerage in home. Fully electric lighted. 15 acres under hog wire fence. Level, productive land. Flowing artesian well on place. Part cash, reasonable terms on deferred payments. R. L. Meredith, Star Route, Grenada. 1-9, 16, 23-2 chg.

FOR RENT: Two unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, near town, on new highway 8 just across Bogue, see or call D. H. Horn at Grenada County Weekly, Phone 747.

MT. NEBO NEWS

There is no let up. They still come and go, but they are all welcome to come.

Miss Jane Clarke, of Rolling Fork, and her charming little friend, Lois Malory, were week-end visitors here.

Hobert Clarke and Tillman Schmitz attended the Masonic chittlin and oyster dinner at Big Creek Saturday.

Tillman Sugg of Oak Grove La., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tude Sugg. His many friends here are always glad to see him.

The awarding of prizes for the Christmas decorating contest last Wednesday night at the New Year's ball was a flop on account of too much competition. The judges have postponed the final decision until ground hog day, which day is an occasion here.

Nebo made a new high record for moving and changing places up to date this winter and late fall. There seems to be a spirit of unrest and no one seems to be sure what may happen. We are better off not knowing. The stage is set for unusual things.

Wesley Malam, our efficient bailiff, is moving up to be in hearing distance of Justice M. O. Gray, and they both swear by all the cats of Killkeny that devilment must let up. They are both red eyed and are in no humor for appeasement.

Fred Clarke, who holds down a good job at Grenada, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clarke, Sunday. He brought his wife with him.

W. K. HUFFINGTON
Notary Public
At Grenada Trust & Banking Co.

For the
JACKSON DAILY NEWS
See
BRINKLEY THROWER
Telephone 174

Free 5×7 Enlargement WITH each 6 or 8 Exposure roll Developed and Printed
25¢ Leave Your KODAK FILMS WITH
Dyre-Kent Drug Co.

May We Keep You From Losing Your Temper These Cold Mornings
LET US! 1 Check Your Battery
2 Check Heater - Connections
3 Install Anti-Freeze
4 Check and Tune Motor
Specialists in BODY AND FENDER REPAIRS
Estimates gladly given at any time without obligation
ART QUANTRELL CHEVROLET COMPANY
Tel. 111 Your Chevrolet Dealer 411 First St.

NOW—CHECK NASH AGAINST THE LOWEST-PRICE FIELD

In the 6 Big things that count Nash gives you—

★ BETTER ECONOMY
25 to 30 miles per gallon with *you* at the wheel!

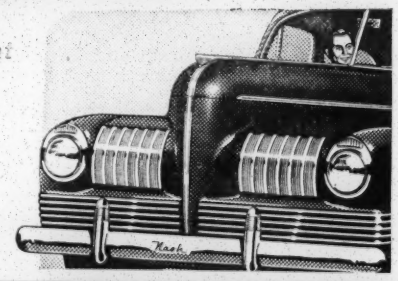
★ MORE ROOM
More seating width than competitive cars!

★ BETTER RIDE
Soft Coil Springs on *all four wheels!*

★ GREATER SAFETY
Body and frame one welded unit!

★ BETTER PERFORMANCE
Flash from 15 to 50 in 12 seconds, high gear!

★ EASIER HANDLING
World's first car with Two-way Roller Steering!



BIG 4-DOOR SEDAN FOR $780
Delivered at Factory
Price includes standard equipment and federal tax

MOSS BROTHERS MOTOR COMPANY
Phone 537 Grenada, Miss.
NASH BUILDS CARS PRICED FOR 92% OF AMERICAN BUYERS

NOTICE TO

HOME OWNERS SEEKING EXEMPTION

The State Law emphatically requires that you MUST make application for Homestead exemption EVERY year before June First.

Our office now has blanks to sign. As this is personalty year, I am not allowed the extra help as when I have to assess land also, and therefore, come to the office or catch me in the field.

REQUIREMENTS ARE MORE COMPLEX THIS YEAR THAN LAST

Sign Your Own Application In Person

First, middle and last names of both man and wife must be given

Only six applications from this county were turned down last year.
Let's make a 100 percent record this year.

L. S. McKNIGHT
COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR

Grenada High Bulldog

THE BULLDOG STAFF

EDITORS

Willie Semmes ..... Kathleen Carlisle
Caroline Whitaker ... Assistant Editor

TYPISTS

Betty Rule, Grace Smith, Almeada Tilghman, Syble Hudson and Mary Evelyn Colvin.

EXAMINATIONS

Mid-term exams are upon us with a bang. Whatever we do on mid-term exams will to a large measure determine, what if anything, we have accomplished in this first semester of school. No doubt some of us have slept this first half-year, and as a result of this carelessness we shall have to pay with last minute "cramming" Although it is too late now to make up our neglect of last semester, we can start our second semester with hard and industrious efforts to study and so profit by our past mistakes.

GRENADA-BATESVILLE BASKETBALL GAME

Friday night the girls basketball team defeated the Batesville girls 32 to 7. This is their fourth victory of the season. The GHS boys were defeated for their first time when the BHS team won over them with a score of 21 to 12. The next game will be with Cascilla Tuesday night.

WASTE BASKET

Happy New Year! And it does seem to be a happy one for Anne Odom. Just ask her about her celebration and "Sleepy."

Frances Herring seems to be the object of Monte Daigre's affection at the present.

S. B. Cowan stepped out New Year's Eve with guess whom

Lynn Rose and Betty Edwards are a new angle. Byran Baker makes it a triangle.

"Unble" and Thomas Bell had a marvelous time in Clarksdale.

Bobby Weir still thinks he's in Greenwood.

"Poor" Keeton—Notice: (John, Jr., not Benton).

"Lil" York still can't make up her mind.

The bracelet Mary Martindale got for Christmas was definitely not delivered by Santa Claus.

Jackie Lane seemed to be having a good time Friday night.

Still no finals from the Houston, Keeton, Barrantine contest.

Nellie Joiner seems to have spent the holidays successfully. Cliff Bailey has been added to her list.

Wonder why Billy Guy Thomas is so proud of her new watch?

It seems queer that our sudden epidemic of sickness should have coincided so perfectly with New Year's Day.

We hereby place Larry Noble's, Bobby Townes' and Warren Robinson's names in the dirt.

Howard Dantzler-Beebe Cullen.
Betty Edwards-Bryan Baker.

A jolly time "was had by all" on Louise Avent's hay ride. Billy Semmes especially enjoyed the ride out. Why?

CHAPEL PROGRAM

On Wednesday, January 1st, Mr. Rundle gave a New Year's talk. Basing his remarks on 18th Chapter of Jeremiah, he compared each day of the New Year with a piece of clay ready to be molded as the potter wills. Mr. Rundle commented on the various ways we could use our minds, our time, and money, and our bodies. Miss Donaldson led the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "He's My Uncle."

IN HORROR

(With Apologies to Mr. Paul Hamilton Haynes)

I think it is over, over;
I think it is over at last.
Tid-Bits of fruit cake and candy
The turkey and chicken are past,
Cookies, plumb pudding, ambrosia
Give way to inevitable fast—

I feel it is over, over,
For the hustle and greeting surcease.
Gone Christmas tree tinsel, and holly;
How the bills of Pop's desk do increase.
Come Santa's red sleigh and swift reindeer,
No Christmas toys still in one piece—

I know it is over, over;
I know it is over at last,
Ah! with what cold apprehension
A sense of dread o'er me is cast.
There's naught but a faint recollection
Of the notes of last term's collection,
And behold with a heart rending quiver
That leaves me to shake and shiver
The week of exams at last.
These fateful exams at last—

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

The Bulldog Staff resolves to continue to entertain and enlighten our public.

"Poor" Keeton resolves to get the best of something just anything—during 1941.

Jackie Lane to hold Cliff.

Gracie Smith to catch a "bear".

Benton Keeton to carry on for Hill.

Rogers Pleasants to grow three inches.

"Poor" Keen (Resolution No. 21) to grow a mustache.

The Football Team to beat Kosciusko, Charleston and all the rest next season.

Edgar Turnipseed—to be a four letter man.

Louise Avent—you guessed it

Betsy Ann Smith to say "I know the answer."

The Debaters to be National champs.

Isabel Gattis to keep track of "Ed."

Billy Foster to make the honor roll

Benny Moore to be a star backfield man.

Mickey Angevine to stop breaking hearts.

Bobby Weir to get the Greenwood road paved.

Tom Provine to attend more hay rides.

Patty Kenwright to reduce

Miss Turner never to "compliment" any Senior.

GIRL RESERVES

The Girl Reserves on January 2nd enjoyed a program of song. Led by Betty Rule, the club sang many of the favorite Girl Reserve songs and practiced on a number of new songs. Plans were also discussed for a Girl Reserve party and a church service.

The boys report a short crop of quail this year, as the hunters got so many of them.

J. E. Coleman, of Star Route One, a new subscriber, is being crowned with tumultuous plaudits.

To Relieve Misery of COLDS take 666
LIQUID, TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

"Doctors agree there's nothing like a hot breakfast for daytime pep and energy . . budget-wise shoppers agree there's nothing like Volunteer Stores for down-right food economy and value! So start tomorrow right with a hot breakfast and for the hottest breakfast 'buys' in town, visit your nearby Volunteer Grocer."

BLUE PLATE MAYONNAISE 16 oz. Jar 27c

FLOUR VOLUNTEER "There's None Better" 24 Pound Sack . . 99c

VOLUNTEER SOUP Tom. or Veg. No. 1 Can 5c

HONEY Pure Strained 16 oz. Glass 18c
CATSUP Del Monte 14 oz. Bottle 15c
ORANGE Concentrate 8 oz. Can 14c
GRAPELADE Welch's lb.

Victory SHORTENING CREAMY WHITE 8 lb. Carton 79c, 4 lb. Carton 39c

TOMATO JUICE Volunteer No. 1 Can 5c

SHRIMP Tender 5¾ oz. Glass . . 22c
TOMATOES Kentucky No. 2 Can 7c
LUNCH TONGUE 6 oz. Can 17c
MEAL Greens Home Grown, 16 lb. Bag 25c

PEACHES ARGO, Table Halves No. 2½ Can 15c

Crackers Liberty Bells, Fresh 2 lb. Box 15c

NOW CREAMIER THAN EVER CRISCO 3 LB. CAN 56c 1 LB. CAN 21c

IVORY SOAP large 10c med. 6c

P & G SOAP Large Bars 5 for . 19c

OXYDOL Large 23c Med. 9c

CHIPSO Large 23c Med. 9c

CAMAY, 3 Bars 17c

Well-Fashioned SILK STOCKINGS for only 25¢ A PAIR AND 3 VOLUNTEER LABELS No. 1 QUALITY! PURE SILK!

Have you tried the NEW OLD DUTCH CLEANSER Cuts grease quickly . . . doesn't scratch OLD DUTCH 50% FASTER

2 Cans 17c

Union Biscuit Co. Specials
PRINCESS CRACKERS Pound Package 15c
DIXIE VANILLAS Large Pkg. 15c
SARATOGA FLAKES Package . . 9c

Sweet Potatoes Diced No. 2 Can 9c

Mixed Vegetables No. 2 Can . 9c

OVALTINE Chocolate or Plain Regular Size Can for 35c

MUSTARD FRENCH 6 oz. Jar for 9c

SATURDAY SPECIAL COFFEE "It's Fresh Roasted" Lb. Bag 15c

PANCAKE FLOUR Pillsbury Pkg. for 10c

DESSERT PRUNES Large Tender Lb. Box 10c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Volunteer Dextrose Enriched 3 No. 2 Cans 25c

MAYFIELD Volunteer Store -- Phone 218

VOLUNTEER FOOD STORES

JORDAN'S Volunteer Store -- Phone 465

Prices Good for Cash Only, January 10-11

Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

Capital Street in Jackson looked like the cold gray dawn of the morning early this week.

Poor Chickens! About six hundred Methodists are in town today (Thursday).

Forgotten last week: Jessford Moore, Frank Jones, Memphis, Tenn.

The present Builder staff is not nearly so responsible as the preceding Builder staff.

Sunday School Conference has picked up. Since the ministers find it too cold to fight.

Without trying to do anything but toot our own horn, we have most people of the county on our list who are financially able to pay for a county paper.

Frank Gaines, Jr. spent last week end with little Miss Jacqueline Sanderson.

Ex-Col. W. B. Hoffa attended Sunday School Sunday.

We are fond of this paper discussion, as we do not know much more about it than those who are talking of it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomas who get their mail from Coffeeville, but who are citizens of this county, now receive the Grenada County Weekly.

Red and Black Pepper, Sage
FRENCH MARKET

Mrs. W. F. Jackson and Mrs. Ella Whitfield Smith, Saturday in Memphis.

Prepare or perish.

Plants: Cherry Laurel, Sweet Olive, Purple Leaf Basberry and others. Call Grenada Floral Co. 630.

It looks like the damn dams are damn near dead.

7TH GRADE HHS HONOR ROLL

The following seventh grade students in the Holcomb School made the honor roll for the fourth month: Vivian Green, Frances Allen, Mary Genn, Daniel Coker, Horace Clark and Wade Ferguson.

LITTLE TEXAS NEWS

Believe it or not—here comes that Little Texas reporter. With the arrival of the New Year, she has made a resolution. Resolved that I shall faithfully report for good old Little Texas whenever there is news to report. But, sometimes there is such a thing as no news.

The Calvary school is progressing fine since after the holidays. Several pupils have left the school, but new ones are coming in rapidly. Everyone is glad to see a new pupil enter school.

It has been rumored around that some of the faculty members of Calvary are making New Year's resolutions. Rumor has that Mr. W. E. Holliman made was especially interesting. Ask him to explain it.

The honor roll for the fourth month for Calvary school has been reported as follows: Beginners, Jimmie Bennett, S. A. Williamson; First grade, Glennis Carroll, Wayne DeLoach and Sue DeLoach.

Second grade, Sara Blanch Williamson, J. W. Haney, Jesse Carder, Lucy Ezelle, Paul Gray Martin, and Katherine Collins.

Fourth grade, Margie Sue Williamson.

Fifth grade, Sara Jean Blaylock and Helen Marie Herbert.

Sixth grade, Curtis Lott, Jewel Martin and Sara Lou Collins.

Seventh grade, Ellene Grantham, Elma Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Holliman had Mrs. Cecil Herbert and children, of Carrollton, as their guests last week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Garner and daughter, Loyette, spent this past week end at New Salem, where Rev. Garner fulfilled his regular first Sunday services.

Rev. W. M. Hull was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lott Sunday and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Estelle Windham Sunday night.

We regret the continued illness of Mr. Ernest Vance, who has been in the hospital at Memphis for some time. He has the best wishes of his many friends in Little Texas.

Aint they sweet.

Rob Shepherd of Beat Three now receives the good news in the GCW. His son saw to that. While we get a new subscriber nearly every day, and have been doing it a long time, we do not yet go into 80 percent of the homes of the county.

Do not forget that the City Council meets next Monday night.

Me and the GCW.

In our opinion, the first step necessary for the city to do in the power controversy is to employ a competent electric engineer to make a comprehensive survey to determine, first, what an adequate plant would cost, and, second, the value of the existing distribution system.

Pay your subscription.

Poor Mississippi.

CALL
Talbert & Childers Dairy
PHONE 160
For the Best Pasteurized Dairy Products
We have served Grenada for 20 years and shall continue to do so and
We tell you what you get and you get what we tell you.
Ask Those Whom We Have Served All These Years

PROGRAM OF
Grenada Theatre

FRIDAY, JAN. 10
Girl From Gods Country
with
Chester Morris, Diana Wynyard, Jan Hersholt. Also Latest News and Novelty. 10-25c

SATURDAY, JAN. 11
2:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30
CARSON CITY KID
with
Roy Rogers, George Hayes, Bob Steele. Also Final Chapter of "Ring of Royal Murder." 10-30c

Owl Show Saturday 10:30 p.m. and Sunday afternoon 2:30 Feature
TURNABOUT
with
Adolphe Menjou, Carol Landis, John Hubbard, Mary Astor, Wm. Cargan. Plus Selected Shorts 10-25c

MONDAY, JAN. 14
Ellery Queen, Master Detective
with
Ralph Bellamy, Margaret Lindsay. Added: Color Cartoon and Novelty. PAL NIGHT 2 Adults 10c

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14-15
LITTLE NELLIE KELLY
with
Judy Garland, George Murphy, Charles Winninger. Plus: Latest News and Novelties. 10-25c

THURSDAY, JAN. 16
MILITARY ACADEMY
with
Tommy Kelly, Bobby Jordan. Added: MARCH OF TIME "On Foreign News Fronts." 10-30c

NEVER BEFORE ANY LOW-PRICED CAR WITH BODIES SO ROOMY—VISION AREA SO GREAT! DOORS SO BIG! SEATS SO WIDE!

See how the BIG NEW FORD out measures the "other 2"!

	INSIDE LENGTH	FRONT SEATING WIDTH	FRONT SEAT LEGROOM	REAR SEAT KNEEROOM	FRONT SEAT HEADROOM	FRONT DOOR WIDTH	WINDSHIELD AREA	SPRING-BASE
FORD	106½"	57"	39½"	17½"	39½"	35½"	700 SQ. IN.	125"
Car 'B'	5" LESS	SAME	1" LESS	3¼" LESS	1¼" LESS	1¼" LESS	37 SQ. IN. LESS	8¾" LESS
Car 'C'	3¾" LESS	2½" LESS	1½" LESS	2" LESS	1½" LESS	2" LESS	87 SQ. IN. LESS	3½" LESS

See the man with the ORANGE "MEASURING STICK"!

COMPARE THEM! Measure with the "MEASURING STICK" to get your answers on SIZE this year! You'll find FORD out measures all leading low-price cars where BIGGEST SIZE means MOST COMFORT!

Ford is LONGEST from Windshield to Rear Window! Ford gives you the MOST Seating Width! MOST Knee-and-Legroom! MOST Front-Seat Headroom! BIGGEST Doors and Windows and Windshields! And the LONGEST Springbase of the lot!... See the Man with the "MEASURING STICK"—here at your Ford Dealer's! See for yourself how Ford's BIGNESS means MOST COMFORT!

TRY THE RIDE too! And you'll discover a Ride so SOFT and LEVEL and QUIET that it's become new-car news all over the country—a Ride made possible by the FORD'S sensational new "SLOW-MOTION SPRINGS!"

COME IN TODAY! Let's talk Size with the "MEASURING STICK"! Let's talk Ride with you at the wheel! Bring along your present car and let's talk "Trade" too!... The BIG NEW FORD'S the ONE BIG car you won't want to miss this year!

GET THE FACTS AND YOU'LL GET A FORD

YOUR FORD DEALER

DEALER ADVERTISEMENT